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Attorney Docket No. SYNOP-00701

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Bruce Harmon *et al.*

Serial No.: 09/637,984

Filed: August 11, 2000

For: **METHOD AND APPARATUS
FOR MODELING USING A
HARDWARE-SOFTWARE CO-
VERIFICATION
ENVIRONMENT**

) Group Art Unit: 2763

) Examiner: Unknown

) **REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION OF
PETITION UNDER 37 CFR § 1.47 (a)**

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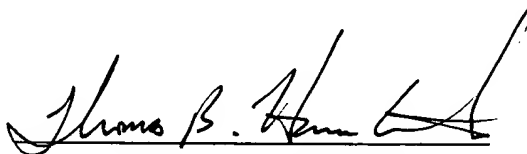
Attached, for your reference, applicants respectfully submit copies of the following documents as they were filed with the U.S. Patent Office on September 19, 2001: Combined Declaration for Patent Application and Power of Attorney signed by Raju Marchala, Assignment signed by Raju Marchala, Form PTO-1595, Request for Reconsideration of Petition Under 37 CFR § 1.47 (a), Transmittal Letter, check no. 1138 in the amount of \$40.00, acknowledgment postcard, postcard stamped September 19, 2001 by OIPE showing receipt acknowledged.

Applicant respectfully requests that the petition be reconsidered by the Office of Petitions.
Further correspondence with respect to this matter should be addressed to the undersigned.

Respectfully submitted,

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This is in response to the Response To The Petition Under 37 CFR 1.47(a) mailed on July 13, 2001. The applicants are given two months to respond, correcting the noted deficiencies. Any response may include an oath or declaration executed by the inventor.

Through further diligence by the in-house legal staff at Synopsys, Inc., the location of the inventor, Raju Macharla, as well as an executed Assignment and executed combined Declaration and Power of Attorney from Mr. Macharla were obtained. The executed Assignment and executed combined Declaration and Power of Attorney from Mr. Macharla are attached for filing with the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office.

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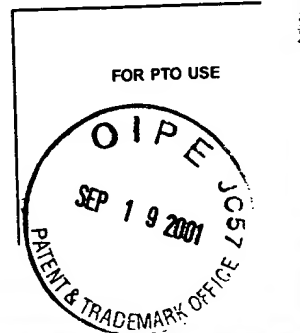
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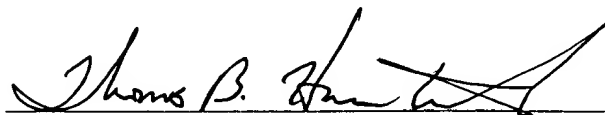
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